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VIA ECF
The Honorable Alvin K. Hellerstein
United States District Judge
United States District Court
Southern District of New York
500 Pearl Street

Trice et al. 19 CR 582 (AKI)

Re: United States v. Rashaun Trice et al., 19 CR 582 (AKH)

## Dear Judge Hellerstein:

New York, New York 10007

With the consent of all parties, I write to request an adjournment of about 30 days of the next pretrial conference, currently scheduled for November 15, 2019, so that the parties can engage in plea discussions. In light of the request, the defendants consent to the exclusion of time for purposes of calculating the Speedy Trial clock.

Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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